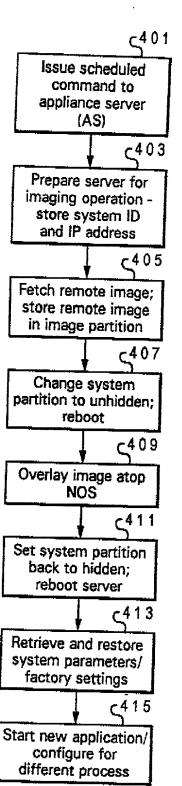


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c451User input detected c457 Set systems partition to unhidden; reboot server c459 Create single image file in images partition from current application c461 Set system partition back to hidden; reboot server (in NOS) **C463** Forward image file to network location via FTP

Fig. 4B

Fig. 4A

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